Laboratory Providers agree to:

- Submit Pap test results using the Bethesda System.
- Meet all requirements of the Clinical Laboratories Improvement Act (CLIA) of 1988. Laboratories must provide a copy of their current certification when signing a participation contract with EWM.
- Receive onsite inspection visits by Nebraska Health and Human Services System as requested.
- Submit lab results to EWM using the facilities standard laboratory reporting form.
- Complete the processing and interpretation then mail a report for each case to the referring healthcare provider within seven days of receipt of the specimens and to EWM within two weeks.
- Have a system for immediate notification to the referring healthcare provider on the day of diagnosis for all cases interpreted as High grade SIL or squamous cell carcinoma.
- Have a system for immediate notification to the healthcare provider on the day of diagnosis for all cases interpreted as high or alert cardiovascular and diabetes screening values. At risk values include: fasting total cholesterol of 200-400 mg/dl, fasting blood glucose 100-375 mg/dl. Alert values, as defined by CDC, are: fasting total cholesterol of ≥400 mg/dl, fasting blood glucose levels ≥375 mg/dl.

Identifying EWM Clients

- Clinics affix this red and white sticker (see example of sticker below) to the client's lab requisition form to identify the client as an EWM client to the laboratory.
- Clinics using electronic submission of lab requisitions indicate EWM for billing purposes.
- Before payment can be made, EWM must receive a laboratory report. (See the Compensation & Billing Section for more information on billing procedures)
- Every other month EWM will send requests for missing Pap test reports to the laboratories. (See Follow Up of Abnormal Results Section on pages 7-1 through 7-5)

Sticker Example:

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